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FATAL FLAMES.

Three Lives Lost by the Burning of a Hotel and Opera-House in Racine, Wis.

An American Oil-Ship Struck by Lightning and Destroyed in Mid-Ocean—All Hands Saved.

A Loss of \$200,000 Incurred by the Burning of a Saddlery Establishment at Canton, O.

OTHER SERIOUS FIRES.

RACINE, Wis., Dec. 29.—About one o'clock yesterday morning the loud roar of an explosion startled the guests in the Blake Hotel here. Almost immediately the fire of fire was heard. There were about sixty guests in the hotel, among them being the members of the Thompson "Beggar Student" Opera Company, which had been appearing in the Blake Opera-House, adjoining the hotel. When the fire of fire was raised the guests, most of whom were asleep, hurried out of the burning building, amid great confusion and excitement. Nearly all were in their night-clothes. By the time the fire department arrived the beautiful hotel and opera-house were burning fiercely, and the firemen, giving up the attempt to save them, confined themselves in an endeavor to save the adjoining hotel.

It was at first thought that all the inmates of the hotel had escaped, but investigation disclosed the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Russell Glover, of the opera company, and Mrs. Patrick, a chambermaid, were missing. They have not since been seen, and there is no doubt they perished in the flames.

Mr. and Mrs. Glover belonged to New York City. The members of the opera company lost their personal effects, including nearly all their clothes, of the total value of about \$6,000. Mrs. K. R. Dowd, wife of ex-Mayor Dowd, who occupied apartments in the hotel, lost \$5,000 worth of jewels, pictures, books, etc., among the latter being a magnificent collection of Dutch works. Mrs. Dowd's capital in the fire was \$1,000. The other losers by the fire are Vilas, druggist; Wood Bros., hardware; Lena Johnson, cafe; Montgomery & Long, barbers; Baugh, variety store, and Duffy, saloon. The total loss is about \$150,000; insurance about \$80,000.

The Opera House, which was an exceedingly handsome structure six stories high and measuring ninety by one hundred feet, was built in 1881 by a stock company at a cost of \$102,000. It was fitted throughout in fine style, and was said to be one of the handsomest places of amusement in the West.

The members of the opera company have been tendered a benefit by the managers of the Opera House. The benefit will take place in Milwaukee Wednesday evening. The origin of the fire is unknown.

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THE REVIEW

JACK & MIZE, Proprietors.

BEECHER is sorry for some of the brethren, but not for having spoken and voted for Cleveland.

ALL you have to do is get some republicans to swear is to mention Mr. John. Some of the same fellows have been great temperance men.

BEECHER wants the fellows who talk of leaving his church because he supported the democratic ticket to come up and leave like men, and no sneak out.

Mr. JOES says that the Chicago Tribune and Globe Democrat have been doing a great work for proslavery since the election by their temperate abuse of constitutional men.

The St. John fellows who stuck in November must at least be given credit for the courage of their convictions. The severe denunciations they have received from republicans do not seem to have discouraged them.

One of the principal jobs in the Nicaragua treaty is the proposal to loan to Nicaragua \$4,000,000. The purpose of the loan is to build railroads and telegraphs, and doubtless to fit the plan of the projectors of the scheme in that state.

A DIVISION of the Southern Army was attacked last week two nights in succession by a mob at Portland Maine, and several of the members injured. Only one arrest was made. If our history is correct, Maine is provinces controlled by Jim Blain and is not in the south.

The Republican has made a grand discovery from a Mississippi paper which "has given the whole thin a way" about the elections in the south. It says the paper is published at the home of Senator Lazarus, and his organ, and that the said paper confesses that "southern elections are farcical in the extreme." The paper in question is published at Oxford, a town of 1,500 inhabitants, and is a 2x3 sheet, four pages, with weekly circulation of 800. It can hardly be regarded as speaking for the people of the state, or as being the organ of a U. S. senator, who is admitted to be one of the most talented and scholarly men in the state. But, admitting that there is bullezing in the south, it cannot be much worse than the more refined bullezing of proslaveryists, and laboring men of the north by republicans. Then, this party organ should go so far from home to cry foul when it knows that ever since the palmy days of the reign of Hay Holmes, there has not been a general election held in Decatur that men have not been either brow beaten or bought, and once, even a crusader's exempted to secure votes. Let the frauds be punished, whether they be in Mississippi or in Illinois. Let us try bribery at home, and then we can with better conscience cry out against bullezing and the counting abroad.

Why is the Republicans so quiet about the Chicago fraud? The grand jury of Cook county has taken up what "Long" Jones and the offer of a bribe of \$10,000 has failed to bring out. The republican papers are suddenly very quiet. Can it be that i danger of catching a republican. Catch the roguish, no matter to what party he belongs.

The New York Sun, in its monetary column on Monday, gives a report of a bad condition in financial circles in Europe, and the prospects for business for the coming year. It also comments on the discouraging prospects for the investment of European capital in railroad and other corporate securities in this country, assuring as a reason, the down-right dishonesty of those who manipulate American securities of the upper classes. Foreign capital is abundant, and the depressed state of trade make it seek investments abroad, but unfortunately for us, the Goulds and Vanderbilts and Huntingtons and others of their class, are not trusted abroad any more than they are at home. The capital of the world goes begging while labor languishes and those supported by it suffer.

A few years ago there was a similar stringency in the times. The failure of a great speculating banking house was the beginning of the trouble. Others followed till the watered stocks of the country and the honest savings of many years were all swallowed up. This uncovered the wiles and rascallities of the managers of corporations of the country particularly of the railroads, and the result was the granger movement. Capitalists deemed this railroad managers fought it; but the people carried the day. Much that was proposed in the way of reform was crude, much that was secured in the way of legislation was imperfect, and

some of it was probably injurious. But the people asserted their rights. Old precedents were thrust aside, and after long contests in the courts, the law has been interpreted that corporations are subjects of legislative control.

Considering the present methods of the great railroad and other carrying lines of the country, it may seriously be asked, "Are we to have a big granger movement?" "Having learned their rights, must the people inaugurate another movement to secure them?" The railroads have done much to aid in the development of the country. Without them unparalleled growth as a nation would have been impossible. They have made the "wilderness to blossom" and the place to be man's commerce. But this does not give them the right to oppress their supporters. When they gave outlets to commerce and trade and the products of our broad prairies, they did not do so as a charitable or philanthropic measure. In the great majority of cases large subsidies were paid by the people, much of which was unnecessary, and was pocketed by the managers of the schemes under the guise of construction companies. These rascally methods are often times contained into the management of the roads. The question asked is, not how much can the merchandise be carried for, but how much dare we impose? Taxes are set at defiance; it is always common for the tools of the railroads and to those of legislators are made to succumb to the influence of money, or equivalent. Corporations enter the political field in a most every state; and their politics depends on where they are. They oftentimes nominate candidates for legislative positions, see to it that men are elected or defeated whom they can, or cannot, use. Their tools hover around legislative halls, certainly not always for honest purpose. The people as address for wrongs, but they laugh at them. The natural fruit of this another extreme movement again.

Is there a remedy? Yes! Just as the people of all sections alike honest management will so reduce expenses as to enable rates to be reasonable. An open, fair discussion with the people of matters in controversy. Ceasing to enter the political field in order to place themselves in official position. This should be reciprocal good feeling between public carriers and the people. As a rule where the simple complaint there is some form of injustice and wrong.

Ten Dollars Reward.
To the first correct solution of the following transaction. Make out with journal and cash book. Send to Central Business College, Decatur, Illinois.
Seth Atkins & Bros., on my account blankers amounting to \$750.00, received their note for \$200.00, at 6 days 7 per cent, with interest added, original cash, then eight days on J. Givens for \$100.00, at 6 per cent discount, on accepted, I. S. J. George Dingleton's or let on me for 100.00, balance she owe us on open account.

We purchased the above this day from Graham & Sons, for our account of E. B. Niggin, half in favor of H. B. H. Lewis, endorsed over to us, for 10 per cent discount, on account of the note for \$200.00, at 6 days 7 per cent, with interest added, original cash, then eight days on J. Givens for \$100.00, at 6 per cent discount, on accepted, I. S. J. George Dingleton's or let on me for 100.00, balance she owe us on open account.

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The Decatur Coal Company took as they were badly hurt, but while the people are sorry, they will have it out, coal, because in this case whether it do not fill the storehouse with furnaces with coke.

Well screened out and lump de- vared at \$2.25 per ton.

It H. McCLELLAND,
No. 1 Shoe Store.

January 1st J. W. Baker will open a new stock of boots and shoes in the drug store one door north of Henry May's grocery, on Merchant street. All goods now in stock will be closed out at 50% off price for the next few days. Go and see his bargains ladies' blouses \$2.25 & up!

D. S. Shellabarger & Co., will deliver to any part of the city until further notice.

Corn per bushel, 35 cents.

Oats (well cleaned) per bushel, 27 cents.

Bran 100 lbs 60 cents.

White shorts 100 lbs 80 cents.

Corn chaps 100 lbs 80 cents.

— Notice —

All shoes now in stock must be closed out by January 1st. In order to do it I will make extra low prices for the next ten days. January 1st I will open a new stock of shoes in the building between Cole's drug store and Henry Lyon's grocery, on Merchant street.

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Goods marked down at the 99c store. d&w1w

Boys' all-wool flannel waists at B. Stine's. d6 tf

Masquerade ball at the Tabernacle to-morrow night.

Choice bulk and canned oysters at Wood Bros'. d6dw

Rev. D. P. Dunn preached in Springfield on Sunday.

Nice mixed candies 15c per pound at Wood Bros'. d6dw

"Lucie's Tribulations," at the opera house on Saturday evening.

Children's school shoes cheap at Barber & Baker's. d21dw2w

Four marriage licenses were issued by the county clerk yesterday.

Bone made broken candy 20c per pound at Wood Bros'. d6dw

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All-wool red flannel drawers at B. Stine's, 75 cents a pair. d6tf

Old ladies' warm lined shoes cheap at Barber & Baker's. d21dw2w

For a dress or business suit go to Ed. Denz, Central Block. d6d3w

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Fresh dressed poultry at Peck & Co.'s, 235 opera block. Dressed on receipt of order. d23 dw

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Wm. Neidermeyer, the Merchant street grocer, browns coffee fresh every day for his customers. Try it. It is the best. d228dw

The Knights of Pythias of Marion will have a grand ball on Tuesday evening in the hall of the New Masonic Temple of that town.

Curtis & Co.'s auction sale of jewelry commenced yesterday afternoon, and was attended by hundreds of people, who secured numerous bargains.

Policeman John Welty, of the levee force, held the lucky number in the drawing for a fine base burner at Campbell & McGinty's place the other evening.

Prizes of turkeys, chickens and cash will be shot for at the shooting gallery on Prairie street, opposite the postoffice, to-day and every day till New Years. 19th

Go to Wingate's lamp store and buy one of those steam washing machines, if you want to see the dirt roll off your clothes without a slate of rubbing. a91

You can buy anything in a nice present you want very cheap, and a new stock to select from at R. N. Hughson's new book store, East Eldorado street. d11dw2w

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THE SAINT OF COLD WATER.

State Conference of Prohibitionists. Yesterday's Meeting Well Attended.

The State Conference of Prohibitionists is now in session in this city, with good attendance of delegates and prominent men of that party. The meetings are held in the Tabernacle, and yesterday's session commenced after dinner. Among those present were: John P. St. John, late candidate for president, D. H. Harts, of Lincoln, Judge Pepper of Alton, H. B. Keyley, of Elkhorn, George C. Christian, of Chicago, Rev. Brown, of Rockford, E. W. Dunkel, of Mason, Lafe Irving, of Mason City, George W. Miner, of Tazewell, Prof. Wilson, of St. Louis, Col. Miller, of Rochester, John Evans, of Clear Creek, and many others.

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Plans of organization and other business matters were discussed during the afternoon. When Governor Branson filed his report to the 15th of January next, all exceptions to such report to be filed on or before the 25th of that month. All briefs in support of or in opposition to such report are to be filed on or before the 14th of February, at which time the cause shall, without further order of the court, be submitted to Justice Harlan for decision on such exceptions and for final decree of sale.—Springfield Register.

Decatur Assembly No. 2435, Knights of Labor, has issued a call to the officers and members of all district and local assemblies of K. of L., and all trades unions, in the state of Illinois, requesting them to send delegates to a Workingmen's Convocation, to be held at the hall of Decatur Assembly, in this city, on Thursday, January 15th, 1885, at 10 a.m. The object of the convention, as set forth in the call, is the election of a State Assembly of Knights of Labor, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention. A large attendance and an interesting session is expected.

The proprietor of one of our city's best and most popular hosteries was taking a little stroll yesterday morning, when he was accosted by a couple of strangers who inquired for a good hotel. He very modestly informed them that he engineered an institution of that kind, and with becoming dignity put his hand in his pocket and drew forth what he supposed was his business card, but which proved to be a handsome encrusted deck. An explanation followed which was perfectly satisfactory to the strangers, and they became guests of the blushing and embarrassed host. He is a man of unquestioned veracity and by no means given to excessive indulgence in games, and therefore the possession of the "History of the Four Kings" was easily explained away; but there are people in our city, who might tell the same story which excused him, and it would be regarded very "thin."

One of the evidences of hard times in this section of the country is the general falling off of holiday business reported by all who handle largely this class of merchandise. Our reporter talked with Mr. O. E. Curtis of the large wholesale and retail jeweler firm of Decatur, and he tells us that their sales are fully \$100,000 behind last year. They have determined in order to convert into money a portion of the goods thrown on their hands, to sell at auction at their store, commencing Monday December 29, and continue several days, anything in their store from diamonds down. They do not propose to go out of business, but simply convert that portion of their goods into money, which have always been sold by this time every year. To all who know these gentlemen, it is unnecessary to say that once having decided to make a sale of this kind, they will not permit anything to be misrepresented, any bidding or anything else that would injure their future business.

Major Emory was in town yesterday Glad Gorin left last evening for Chicago.

I. O. Eyman visited Sullivan yesterday on business.

W. B. Newman, of Modesto, Cal., is in the city visiting Capt. and Mrs. Hewes.

Charlie Hossum was down town yesterday and dined at the St. Nicholas.

Mr. John Campbell left yesterday afternoon for Denver, Col., on a short business tour.

Miss Ollie Oglesby has returned home from a visit to friends and relatives at Lincoln.

Charlie Hadleff is getting himself in trim for the arduous duties of tax collector of this township.

Charles Hughes, the prosecuting attorney of Pott County, was in the city yesterday on business.

Messrs. A. W. Wells and A. W. Gross, of Niantic, were in the city yesterday for a few hours.

Harry Woodruff and Ed. McCaskill, of Taylorville, have been visiting Mr. Jacob Maxwell and family.

Miss Gillett and Miss Bertie Laetham, of Lincoln, spent yesterday in this city, returning home in the afternoon.

Ed. Leaby, the genial dispenser of liquid refreshments at Campbell & McGinty's place, has been confined to his room for a week past, with illness.

George Lower, traveling land and passenger agent of the Frisco Line, went to St. Louis yesterday afternoon. He will return home this evening.

Prof. E. A. Galtman, and Prof. R. R. Walker, of the Rockford public schools, left yesterday afternoon to attend the annual session of the State Teachers' Association. The meetings will be held in representative hall.

Dr. Cole, the dentist, returned home last evening from Joliet, where he was called a few days since by the serious illness of his wife. She was in a critical condition for several days, but when the doctor left she had experienced a change for the better and was rapidly improving.

Mrs. Cole's many friends will be gratified to learn of her improvement and soon hope to hear of her complete recovery.

Leave the party, but the republicans endeavored to hold the prohibitionists with promises.

He read an editorial from the Chicago Tribune of a recent date, commanding the skill and efficiency of the railway mail agents. It had been acquired by years of study and hard work, but the accuracy and promptness with which mail is now handled and delivered, would soon be done away with by the bungling greenhorns of democrats, who would secure these positions under the new administration. Many of these men, who are married, would retire from the service poor, as their salary was ill during the past few days. Last week she was able to go downtown for a few hours, and now her face is very pale and she could not save anything. The speaker said it was true that they had not been in good health for some time, but has only been dangerously ill during the past few days. Last week she was able to go

